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Census Figures Just Issued Tell Story of Unparalleled Growth

Preliminary Counts Were Issued Last Night From Ottawa and Show That Most of Western Cities Have Made Large Gains—Saskatoon Shows Next to Biggest Increase, 76 Per Cent, While Calgary is Third, and Winnipeg Fourth.

PERCENTAGES OF INCREASE IN PAST FIVE YEARS

Edmonton	77%	Increase
Saskatoon	76%	"
Calgary	70%	"
Winnipeg	19%	"
Regina	13%	Decrease

The preliminary returns of the federal census taken in Western Canada during the summer were issued from Ottawa last night, and show that among all the western cities, Edmonton, with the greatest percentage of gain in population during the last five years.

In 1911, the population of Edmonton was 24,900, and the city Strathcona 5,579, making in all, a total population of 30,479. This figure, compared with the total United Nations for 1916, given in the census returns as 536,744, shows an increase of about 77% in the five years. The amalgamation of the cities took place in 1912.

In Edmonton comes Saskatoon, showing an increase of 75%, whilst Calgary shows an increase

of 30%, and Regina a decrease of 13%.

The growth of Edmonton, well-known to its citizens, will come as a surprise to many of the outside world. When it is remembered how many have emigrated or moved to other parts, the figures are all the more remarkable. Three years ago, according to the civic census, the population was placed at over 70,000.

Winnipeg, the largest city in the middle west, increased its population from 136,035 in 1911, to 162,999 in 1916, making a gain of 26,764, or nearly 20% in five years.

In Saskatchewan, Regina leads with 28,105, a decrease of 4,000. Both Saskatoon and Moose Jaw show material gains since 1911.

In Alberta, Calgary still stands first with a population of 56,302, followed by Edmonton with 53,744.

As the returns of the census are not all in the total population of the provinces, cannot yet be final.

This count is not to be the final compilation, and is therefore subject to revision, though it is not expected that material changes will be made.

POPULATIONS OF PRINCIPAL CITIES AND TOWNS OF WESTERN CANADA

	1911	1906	1911	1906
Calgary	4,395	13,967	49,704	56,302
Edmonton	2,970	11,147	53,744	53,744
Lethbridge	2,820	1,213	8,609	9,427
Saskatoon	2,225	1,418	16,908	9,267
Regina	2,225	1,418	16,908	9,267
Winnipeg	1,500	1,652	24,111	2,084
Brandon	1,200	1,100	11,818	1,553
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COUNT OF SOLDIERS VOTE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA FOR LIBERALS

Doubtful Now if Ex-Premier Bowser Will Get Enough in Vancouver to Ensure Him a Seat—Hon. W. R. Ross Only Conservative Minister Leading, & Having His Majority Gradually Out Down.

(By Morning Bulletin Special Wire) VICTORIA, Oct. 17.—An day was spent counting the soldiers' vote in the Conservative campaign in British Columbia. The count in Vancouver and Richmond was postponed in view of the election of J. H. W. Ross. There will be counted tomorrow in the city of Vancouver, and the results of the soldiers' vote in the province will be known.

In the Victoria city, the net result of the count was that the Conservatives gained 10 votes in the city, and 17 in the constituency. The count in Vancouver and Richmond was postponed in view of the election of J. H. W. Ross. There will be counted tomorrow in the city of Vancouver, and the results of the soldiers' vote in the province will be known.

RAIN HAMPER OPERATIONS

Russians, However, Are Not Giving Enemy Moment's Rest, Says Despatch

(By Morning Bulletin Special Wire) LONDON, Oct. 17.—On both the Russian and the German fronts, the fighting has been hampered by rain. The Russian army has been unable to make any progress, and the German army has been unable to make any progress.

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(By Morning Bulletin Special Wire) LONDON, Oct. 17.—Major William Redmond, brother of John Redmond, has sent a letter to the London Times, in which he has inspired the troops at the front. The letter was written from the front, and it was a most inspiring letter.

SNOW STORM IN QUEBEC

Heavy Fall of Snow With Forty-mile Gale Along the St. Lawrence

QUEBEC, Oct. 17.—Quebec has been hit by a heavy snow storm, with a forty-mile gale along the St. Lawrence. The snow has fallen in heavy showers, and the gale has been very strong.

SCOTCH SCHOONER IN PORT HOPE

PORT HOPE, Ont., Oct. 17.—A Scotch schooner, the "Fort Hope," was sighted in the harbor of Port Hope. The schooner was seen on the morning of the 17th, and it was seen by the harbor master.

HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUES ON EASTERN FRONT

In Transylvania Rumanians Are Holding Back the Enemy

ARTILLERY DUELS ON WESTERN FRONT

Tense Situation Arises In Greece—Trouble In Athens

SAYS FIGHTING IS BEYOND ALL IMAGINATION

Canadian Artillery Officer Gives Vivid Description of Scenes At Front

INDIAN HELD FOR MURDER

Is Accused of Killing Man at Popcorn, B.C. Automatic Rifle Used

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ANOTHER BRITISH LOAN IN STATES

Terms of New \$250,000,000 Issue Will Be Similar to Former One

WITH CARMEN IS ADOPTED

The New Agreement is Very Similar to the Old One

HONOR ROLL OF CIVIC EMPLOYEES UNVEILED

Question of Light Extension to St. Albert is Discussed

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